S.J.R. 7 by Krier, Armbrister, Barrientos,

State Affairs

Santiesteban, Tejeda

Proposing a constitutional amendment allowing the issuance of general obligation bonds for undertakings related to a consortium of semiconductor companies to engage in a semiconductor industry research facility.

S.C.R. 21 by Henderson

Jurisprudence

Granting MaCon Engineering, Inc., permission to sue the State of Texas and The Texas A&M University System.

S.R. 70 by Edwards

Administration

Designating Eaman Tang as Minister Plenipotentiary for Trade and Commerce with Taiwan for the State of Texas.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Brooks, on behalf of Senator Krier, introduced the Capitol Physician for the Day, Dr. Irwin Kurtz of San Antonio.

The Senate expressed appreciation for his service and welcomed him as a guest for the day.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS

S.R. 71 - By Brooks: Memorial resolution for Charles Hill, Sr.

S.R. 72 - By Farabee: Memorial resolution for Edgar "Ed" Brittan Hart.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 11:02 a.m. adjourned until 11:00 a.m. Monday, July 13, 1987.

EIGHTH DAY

(Monday, July 13, 1987)

The Senate met at 11:00 a.m., pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Anderson, Armbrister, Barrientos, Blake, Brooks, Brown, Caperton, Edwards, Farabee, Glasgow, Green, Harris, Johnson, Jones, Krier, Leedom, McFarland, Montford, Parker, Parmer, Santiesteban, Sarpalius, Sims, Tejeda, Truan, Uribe, Washington, Whitmire, Zaffirini.

Absent-excused: Henderson, Lyon.

A quorum was announced present.

Senate Doorkeeper Jim Morris offered the invocation as follows:

Our Heavenly Father, we assemble this morning with a prayer that this will be a week of progress in the deliberations and hope for an agreed compromise. Grant to each of us grace for the temptations of the day and strength for the every duty that is before us. Forbid that we should be careless in our dealings with others or indifferent to the opportunities of service. In His name we pray. Amen.

On motion of Senator Brooks and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, July 9, 1987, was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Senator Henderson was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Harris.

Senator Lyon was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Brooks.

RESOLUTION SIGNED

The President announced the signing in the presence of the Senate the following enrolled resolution:

S.C.R. 4

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

Senator Truan, Acting Chairman, submitted the following report for the Committee on Health and Human Services:

S.B. 60 S.B. 49

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Armbrister was recognized and introduced Mr. Cheng Guo of China, now residing in California.

Mr. Guo, making a "Run Across America" to make Americans aware of the Communist government in China, was welcomed by the Senate.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Harris was recognized and introduced Dr. William M. "Bill" Ross of Carrollton, the Capitol Physician for the Day.

Dr. Ross, again serving in this capacity, was welcomed and received the warm appreciation of the Senate.

GUEST PRESENTED

Senator Truan was recognized and introduced Dr. Hector P. Garcia, founder of the American GI Forum and resident of Corpus Christi.

The Senate welcomed this distinguished visitor as a guest for the day.

SENATE RESOLUTION 76

Senator Caperton offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, Since her election to the Senate in 1984, Cyndi Taylor Krier has earned the respect and admiration of her peers in the Texas Senate; her birthday on July 12 is an event worthy of recognition by her fellow Senators as well as by her family and many friends; and

WHEREAS, Representing more than 500,000 constituents in Bexar County, Senator Krier's dedication to excellence and effective sponsorship and support of legislation affecting the citizens of her community and across the state have been especially beneficial to many Texans; and

WHEREAS, These accomplishments have been attained in spite of once being denied admittance to the House Chamber to hear the Governor address a Joint Session of the 69th Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Senator Krier's identification problems in the House were primarily limited to the 69th Session and have since been effectively resolved; and

WHEREAS, As a result of this brief moment of anonymity in the 69th Legislature, Senator Krier can now boast of the distinction of "House Pin-Up Senator" as a result of a House Sergeant mandate to post photographs of Senator Krier at all entrances to the House Chamber; and

WHEREAS, This updated House practice enabled House Sergeants to identify the Senator from Bexar successfully during the 70th Session of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, As a member of the Texas Senate, Cyndi Taylor Krier has also delved toward higher accomplishments in the 70th Regular Session of the Legislature; Senator Krier has established a working relationship with many members, most notably Senator Carl Parker and also with Senator John Montford, in spite of his grievous oversight in not issuing an invitation to Senator Krier and to the other women Senators to his annual West Texas trail ride; and

WHEREAS, These Senators, among her other colleagues in this distinguished body of Members of the State Senate, recognize the worth of her accomplishments; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 70th Legislature, 2nd Called Session, hereby extend sincere birthday greetings and many happy returns to Senator Cyndi Taylor Krier; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas stand adjourned today in honor of the birthday of Senator Cyndi Taylor Krier.

The resolution was read and was adopted viva voce vote.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 24

Senator Brooks offered the following resolution:

S.C.R. 24, Creating the Texas Heroes Monument Commission to restore the Texas Heroes Monument in Galveston.

The resolution was read

On motion of Senator Brooks and by unanimous consent, the resolution was considered immediately and was adopted viva voce vote.

HOUSE RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

The following resolution received from the House was read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

H.C.R. 27, To Committee on Administration.

SENATE BILLS AND RESOLUTION ON FIRST READING

The following bills and resolution were introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

S.C.R. 22 by Parmer

Jurisprudence Granting Don Moore and Moore Transportation Co. Inc., permission to sue the State of Texas and the Railroad Commission of Texas.

S.B. 63 by Uribe Relating to educational loans guaranteed by the Texas Guaranteed Student Loan Corporation.

S.B. 64 by Jones State Affairs Relating to the operation of and issuance of bonds for projects by the Texas Public Building Authority.

S.B. 65 by Farabee State Affairs Relating to the regulation of solid waste facilities and injection wells.

S.B. 66 by Parmer, Anderson, Barrientos,

Criminal Justice

Farabee, Krier, Lyon, McFarland

Relating to the videotaped testimony of a child who is an alleged victim of certain criminal offenses.

S.B. 67 by Farabee

State Affairs

Relating to the authorization, issuance, examination, approval, registration, and recording of certain bonds of public entities and certain long-term installment sales or long-term lease-purchase obligations that have as a party a public entity.

S.B. 68 by Montford

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Relating to allocations of funds to the available school fund and to the state highway fund and to revenue dedicated to the state highway fund.

S.B. 69 by Montford

State Affairs

Relating to the assessment of damages in condemnation proceedings.

S.B. 70 by Caperton

Jurisprudence

Relating to the division and disposition of marital property and to spousal liability.

S.B. 71 by Armbrister

Natural Resources

Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Bastrop County Municipal Utility District No. 2.

S.B. 72 by Armbrister

Natural Resources

Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operation, and financing of the Bastrop County Municipal Utility District No. 1.

S.B. 73 by Armbrister

Natural Resources

Relating to the powers, functions, and duties of the Bastrop County Water Control and Improvement District No. 2.

SENATE RULE 103 SUSPENDED

On motion of Senator Blake and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 103 was suspended in order that the Committee on State Affairs might consider the following bills at 9:00 a.m. tomorrow:

S.B. 65

S.B. 67

S.B. 68

S.B. 69

SENATE RULE 103 SUSPENDED

On motion of Senator McFarland and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 103 was suspended in order that the Committee on Criminal Justice might consider the following bills at 2:00 p.m. today:

S.B. 54

S.B. 66

S.B. 19

S.B. 43

MEMORIAL RESOLUTION

S.R. 75 - By Armbrister: Memorial resolution for Lavaca County Judge Wilbert D. Roznovsky, Sr.

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

- S.R. 73 By Green: Extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. George A. Pichot on their 50th wedding anniversary.
- S.R. 74 By Barrientos: Extending congratulations to the Texas Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators on their 20th anniversary.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Brooks, the Senate at 11:18 a.m. took recess until 9:00 a.m. tomorrow.

EIGHTH DAY

(Continued) (Tuesday, July 14, 1987)

AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by the President.

SENATOR ANNOUNCED PRESENT

Senator Henderson who had previously been recorded as "Absent-excused" was announded "Present".

SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were introduced, read first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

S.B. 74 by Caperton

Jurisprudence

Relating to certain alienation of affection suits.

S.B. 75 by McFarland

Intergovernmental Relations Relating to certain nonprofit subscription programs for emergency medical services vehicle services.

S.B. 76 by Brown

Jurisprudence

Relating to the definition of "intoxication" in workers' compensation cases.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

House Chamber July 14, 1987

HONORABLE W. P. HOBBY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SIR: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

- H.B. 54, Relating to the hours of labor of fire fighters and police officers in certain cities.
 - H.B. 19, Relating to recounts of elections.
- H.B. 67, Relating to the acquisition of certain property by the Orange County Navigation and Port District and the provision of certain projects and facilities on that property.